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▼己れの拳に不屈の闘志をこめ、非情の運命に立ち向かう鬼門大介!!
▼世界最強の秘拳——沖縄・覇城流空手と出会い、熾烈な激闘の渦中に
▼我が身を投じる若き武闘家の青春を描く——本格空手巨編第1弾!!

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CHAPTER 1:
THE BEAST'S CAGE
WANDERING THE JUNGLE OF VIOLENCE WAS A SINGLE YOUNG BEAST.
THIS BEAST, WHO HAD NO SHARP CLAWS OR FANGS, CHALLENGED
HIS OWN DESTINY WITH HIS "FISTS" AS HIS ONLY WEAPON.
THE ULTIMATE WEAPON, ONLY ALLOWED TO THOSE
WHO HAVE NAUGHT, IS KNOWN AS "KARATE".
THIS IS THE STORY OF KIMON DAISUKE, A YOUNG MAN
WHO FACED DUELS TO THE DEATH EMPTY-HANDED...

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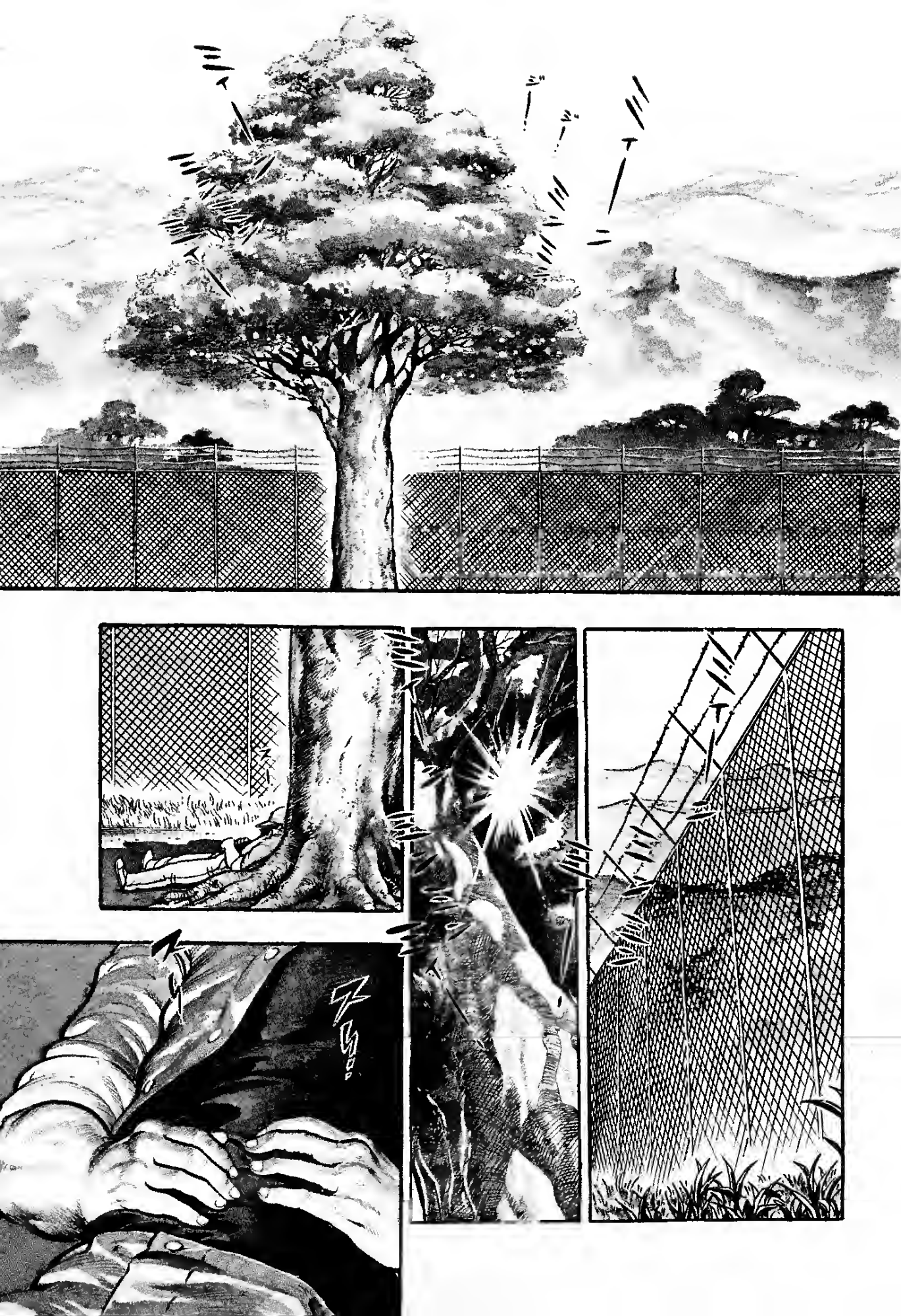
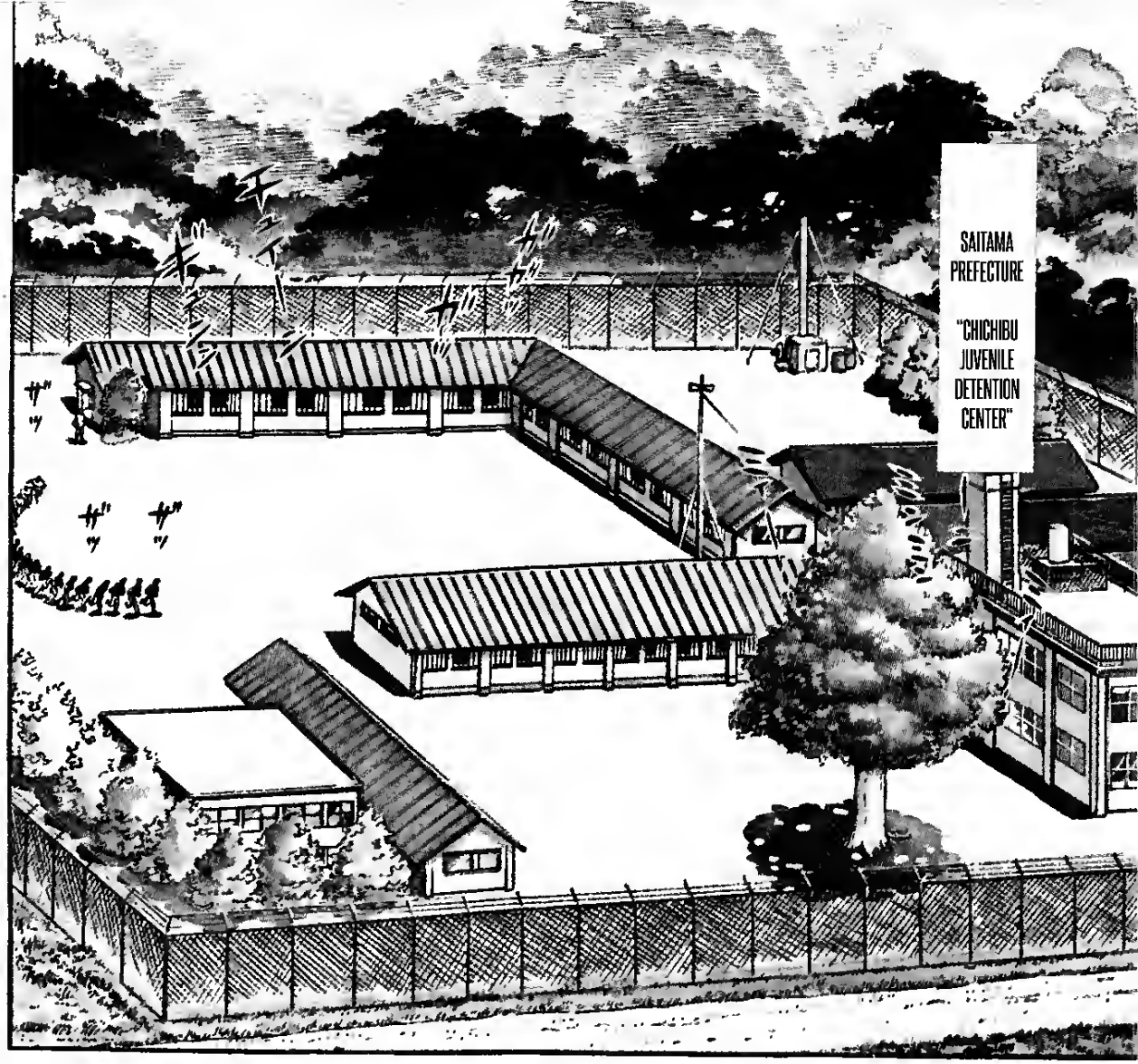


HUFF...
HUFF...
HUFF...
ALRIGHT, ONE LAST LAP!!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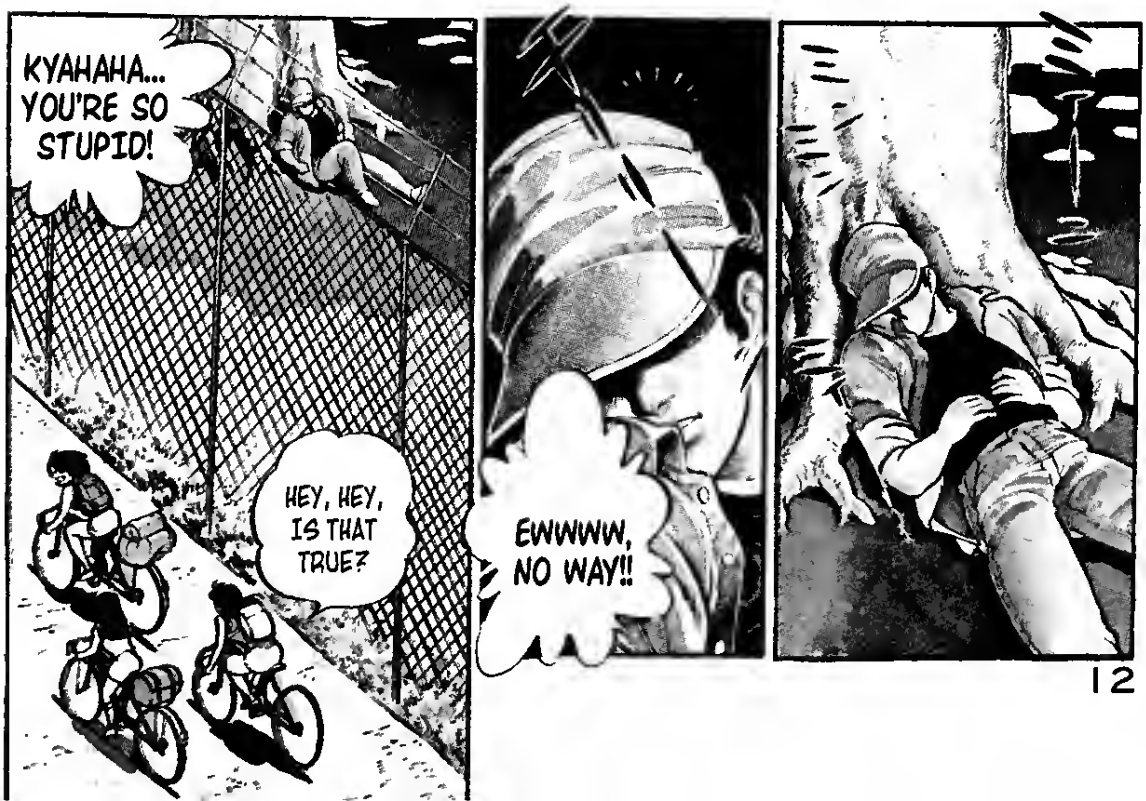
KYAHAHA... YOU'RE SO STUPID!
HEY, HEY, IS THAT TRUE?
EWWWW, NO WAY!!

COME ON... KYAHAA...
YOU ALWAYS TAKE EVERYTHING SERIOUSLY!
UGH! YOU'RE SO MEAN!
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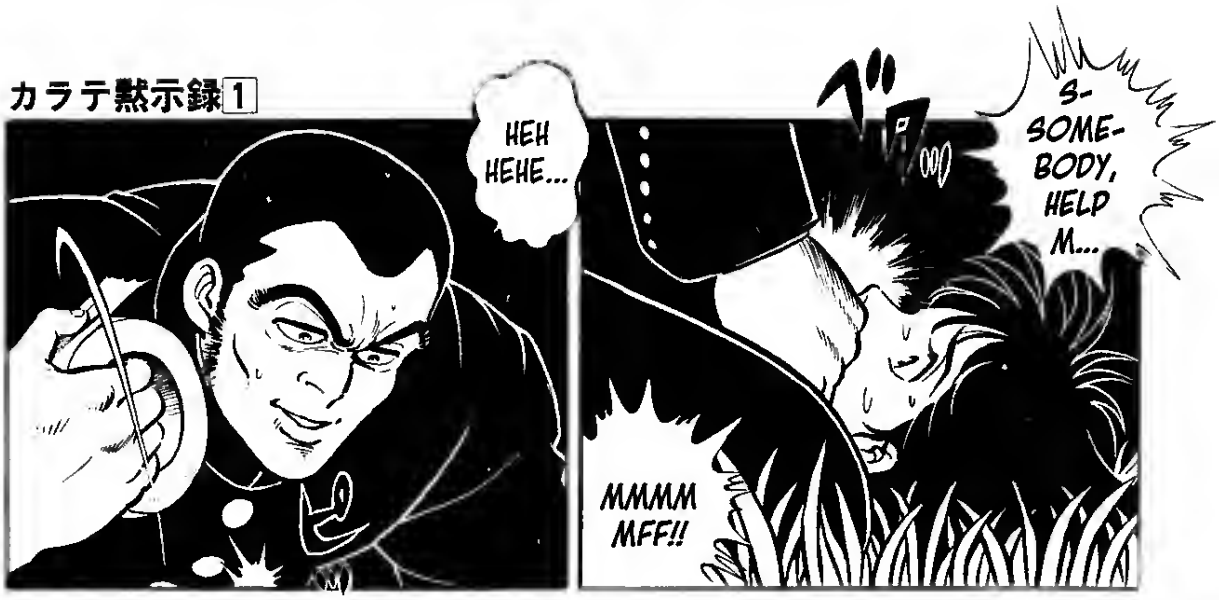
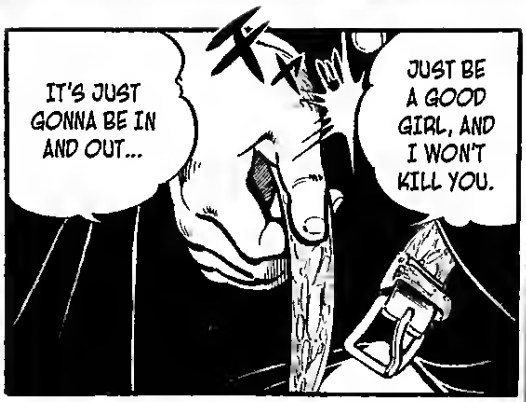
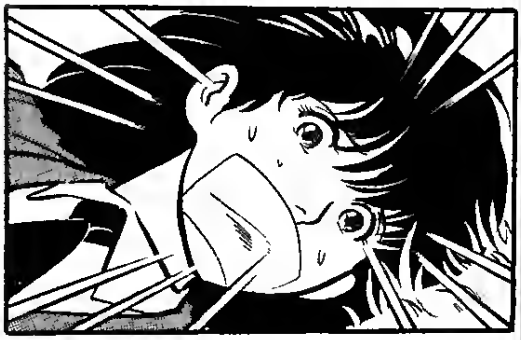
AIIII EEEEE EEEEE!!
HEHE HEHE...
L-LET ME GO!!
STOP! NOOOO OOO!!
MIZUNO


HEH HEHE...
S-SOME-BODY, HELP M...
MMMM MFF!!


IT'S JUST GONNA BE IN AND OUT...
JUST BE A GOOD GIRL, AND I WON'T KILL YOU.

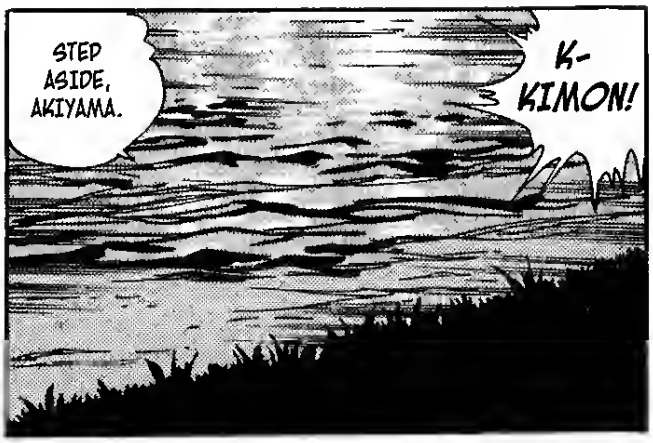


HEHHE HEHE...

DON'T WORRY. IT'LL BE OVER SOON ENOUGH.
BETTER NOT MAKE A PEEP, AKIYAMA.

OWWW WWW...
W- WHO THE HELL DID THAT!?
UGAAA AAH!!
YOU BETTER NOT LAY ANOTHER FINGER ON AKIYAMA!!
CUT IT OUT, KEN-ZAKI!!
K- KIMON!!
KIMON DAISUKE !!
K-

KIMON!!
M-MOTHER-FUCKER...
YOU LOOK ALMOST LIKE A BITCH IN HEAT.
HEH... NOW THIS IS A NEW LOW FOR THE TOP DOG OF JOHTO ACADEMY.
EEP!!
BUT YOU CAN'T EXPECT ME TO JUST WATCH YOU RAPE A GIRL FROM OUR CLASS.
LOOK, KEN-ZAKI, I MAY BE A THUG MYSELF,
GIMME A BREAK! YOU WERE EXPELLED FROM JOHTO, REMEMBER?
"OUR CLASS"?


STEP ASIDE, AKIYAMA.
K-KIMON!

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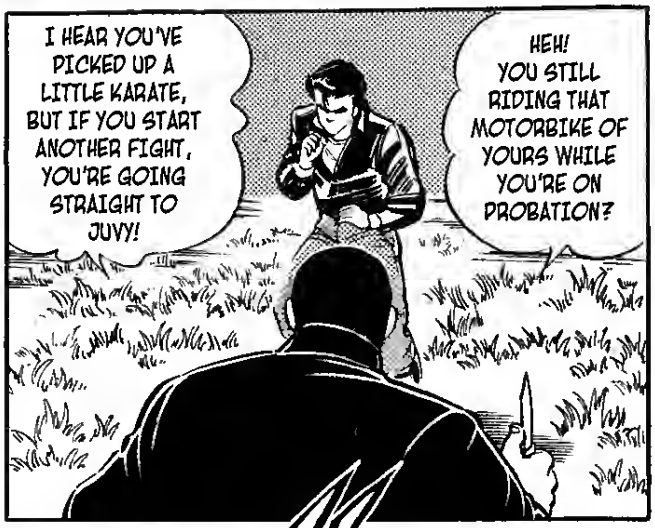
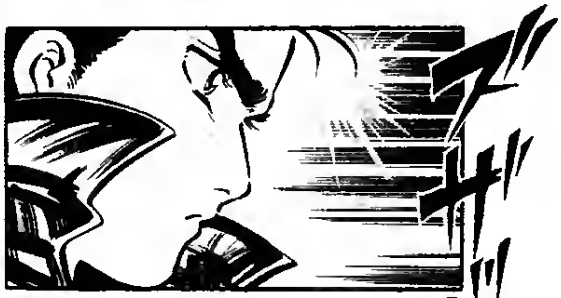

I HEAR YOU'VE PICKED UP A LITTLE KARATE, BUT IF YOU START ANOTHER FIGHT, YOU'RE GOING STRAIGHT TO JUVY!
HEH! YOU STILL RIDING THAT MOTORBIKE OF YOURS WHILE YOU'RE ON PROBATION?

HEHE...



KCH!
RYAH!
NUAAAH!
TCH...
YOU COULD'VE JUST LET ME HAVE AKIYAMA...
THAT'S WHAT YOU GET FOR FUCKING AROUND WITH ME.
HEH HEHE...

NUO
OOO
OOU
GH!!
DON'T FUCK WITH THE TOP DOG OF JOHTO ACADEMY!!
HGA
HHH...
AHH!

K-
KIMON!!
ARRRR
RRRRR
RGH!!
A-
DYEAAA
AAAAAAA
AAAAH!!
UNNN
NGH...

KIMON! STOP!!

GYEEH HHHHH HHHHH HHH!!

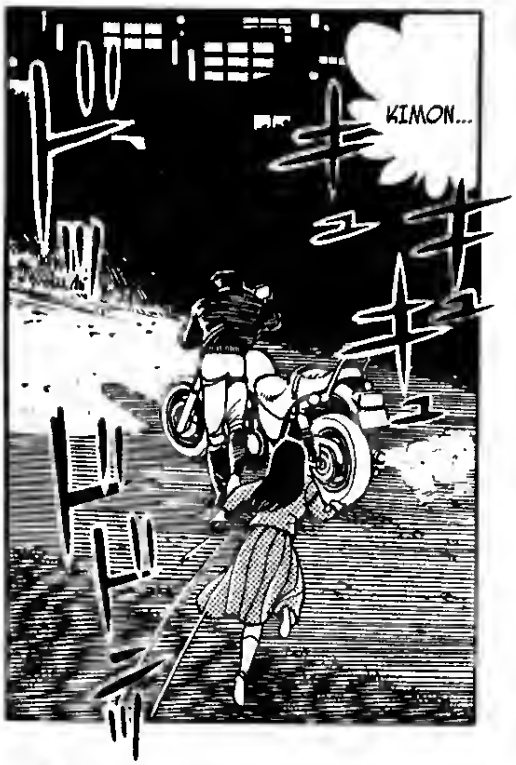
HUFF
HUFF

YOU WEREN'T A PART OF THIS.
THIS WAS JUST A POINTLESS FIGHT BETWEEN THUGS.

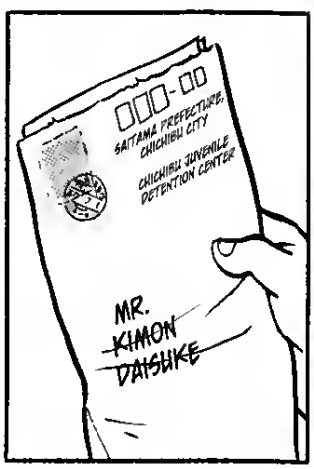
K-KIMON !!
...AKI-YAMA...

GOT IT!?
K...

KIMON!!


KIMON...

TOKYO JUVENILE PROFILES, SHINAGA WARD, MIZUHOTO, 6-12-3
AKIYAMA MIZUHO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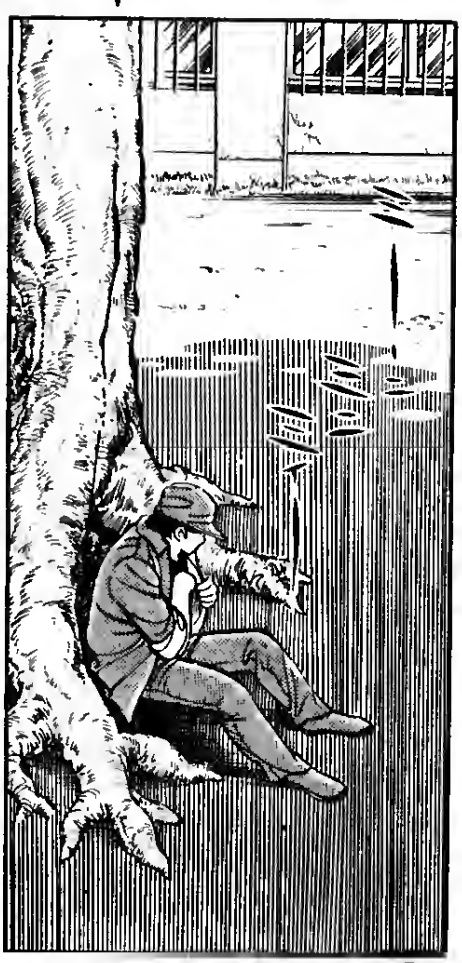
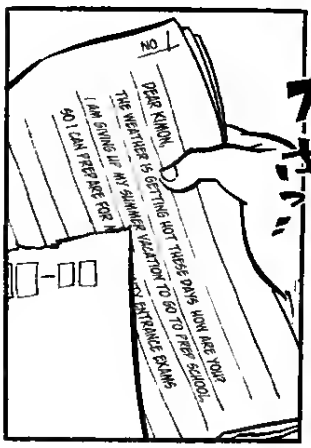
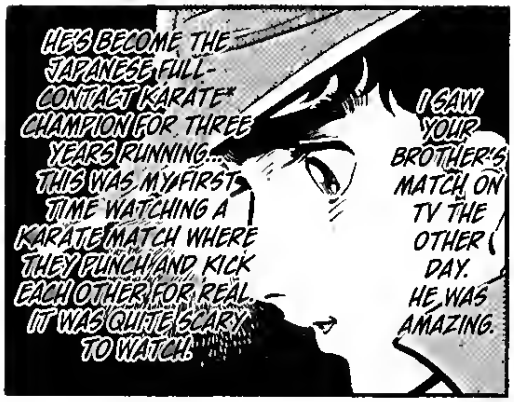
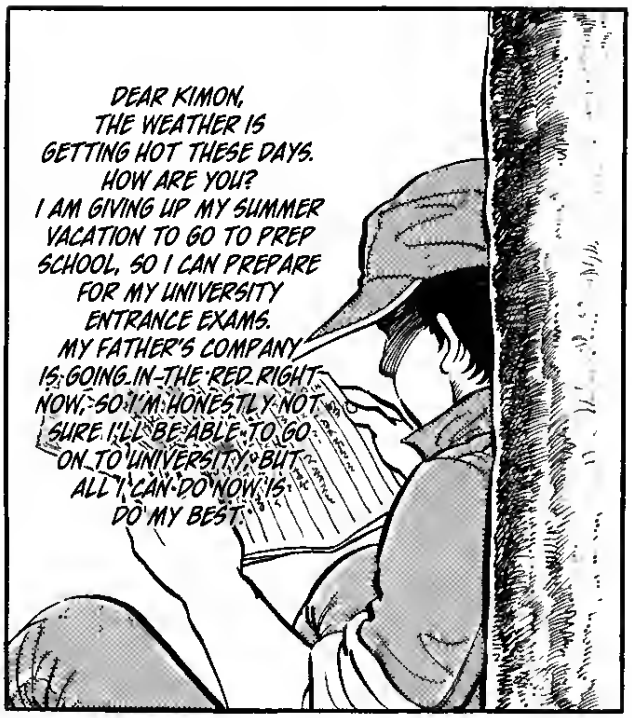
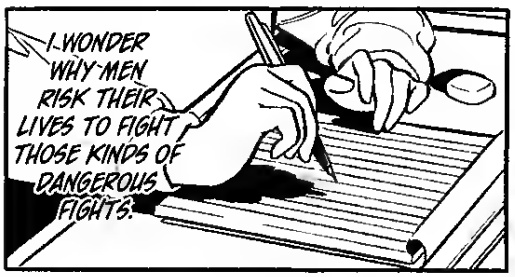


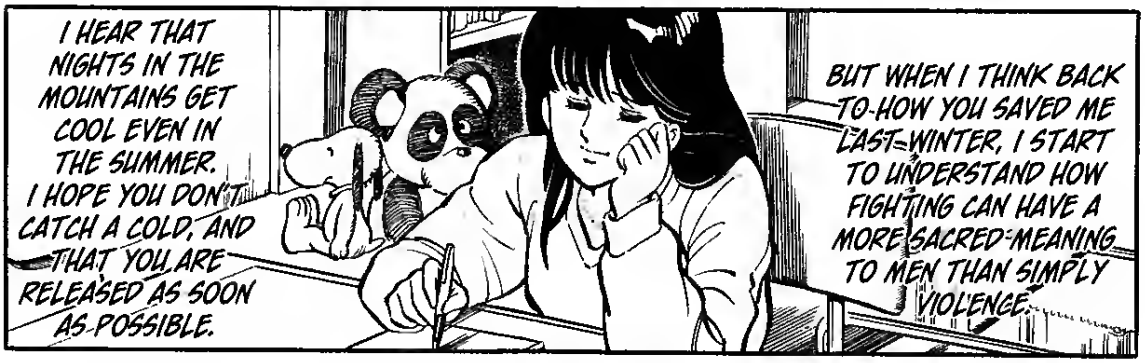

NO.1
DEAR KIMON,
THE WEATHER IS GETTING HOT THESE DAYS. HOW ARE YOU?
I AM GIVING UP MY SUMMER VACATION TO GO TO PREP SCHOOL.
SO I CAN PREPARE FOR
ENTRANCE EXAMS.
□-□□

*"FULL CONTACT"... A KARATE RULE WHERE FIGHTERS STRIKE AND KICK FOR REAL, INSTEAD OF STOPPING JUST BEFORE THE BLOW. THERE ARE TWO FORMATS, WITH DEFENSIVE GEAR AND WITHOUT DEFENSIVE GEAR. THE TOURNAMENT THAT KIMON KYOTARO WON WAS ONE WITHOUT DEFENSIVE GEAR.


HE'S BECOME THE JAPANESE FULL-CONTACT KARATE* CHAMPION FOR THREE YEARS RUNNING... THIS WAS MY FIRST TIME WATCHING A KARATE MATCH WHERE THEY PUNCH AND KICK EACH OTHER FOR REAL. IT WAS QUITE SCARY TO WATCH.
I SAW YOUR BROTHER'S MATCH ON TV THE OTHER DAY. HE WAS AMAZING.


DEAR KIMON,
THE WEATHER IS GETTING HOT THESE DAYS. HOW ARE YOU?
I AM GIVING UP MY SUMMER VACATION TO GO TO PREP SCHOOL, SO I CAN PREPARE FOR MY UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMS.
MY FATHER'S COMPANY IS GOING IN THE RED RIGHT NOW, SO I'M HONESTLY NOT SURE I'LL BE ABLE TO GO ON TO UNIVERSITY. BUT ALL I CAN DO NOW IS DO MY BEST.




I HEAR THAT NIGHTS IN THE MOUNTAINS GET COOL EVEN IN THE SUMMER. I HOPE YOU DON'T CATCH A COLD, AND THAT YOU ARE RELEASED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.
BUT WHEN I THINK BACK TO HOW YOU SAVED ME LAST WINTER, I START TO UNDERSTAND HOW FIGHTING CAN HAVE A MORE SACRED MEANING TO MEN THAN SIMPLY VIOLENCE.

GUESS MY BROTHER WON THIS YEAR, TOO.
KIMON KYOTARO THE KARATE CHAMPION OF JAPAN!!
INVINCIBLE "THREE-PEAT IN THE KUBUKAI OPEN TOURNAMENT"
I SEE...

EISHAAA AAAAAA AAAAH!!
SORYA AAAA AAH!!
DYEA AHH!!
DYEAH!
URYAS AAAAA AAAH!!

HEH HEHE...
URK !!

...YOU'RE MATSUO FROM BLOCK A!
SO YOU'RE THE SON OF A BITCH THAT PUT OUT KENZAKI'S EYE LAST WINTER.
YOU'RE KIMON DAISUKE, AREN'T YA?

SO I'M GONNA PUT OUT YOUR EYE AS PAYBACK!
KENZAKI AND I ARE BEST BUDS...
KEHKEHE...

YOU THINK YOU CAN GET AWAY FROM US?
HEH HEH...
WHOAA AAAAA, THERE!
H-HEY! A FIGHT!
WHAT!?
HEHEHE...
HEHEHE...

W-
WHERE!?
FIGHT! THERE'S A FIGHT GOING DOWN!!

TWEET!

PEEP!
TWEET, TWEET ?

I HEAR MATSUO FROM BLOCK A STARTED IT!
THIS IS GONNA BE GOOD!

HURRY! THIS WAY!!
IT'S UNDER THE OAK TREE OUT BACK!!

HEY! CUT IT OUT, ALL OF YOU!!
WHAT'S THE MATTER? GET ON WITH IT!!
STOP FIGHTING, OR YOU'RE ALL GOING TO THE SLAMMER!!
ARRR RRRR RGH!!
DIE!!
Y-YOU LITTLE...
C'MON, DON'T BE SUCH A KILLJOY, INSTRUCTOR!
HEHEHE...
HEHEHE...

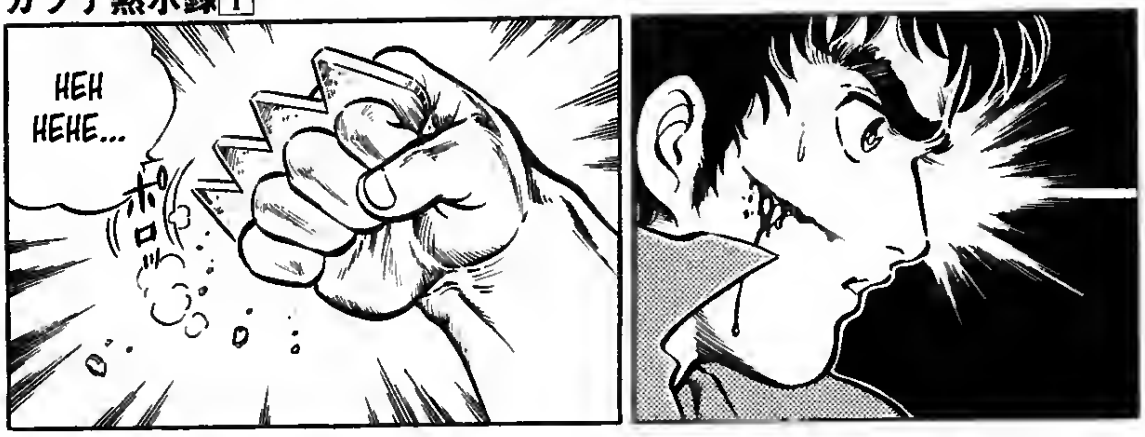
M... MOTHER-FUCKER!!
KCH...!
BWO OUG H!!

UGEH HHHH!
GGGH!
DON'T LET THAT PIECE OF SHIT GET AWAY!!
EEEEEE EEEEEP!!
WAAA AAAA UGH!
!
WHOA!?

I HEAR YOUR BROTHER'S THE JAPANESE FULL-CONTACT KARATE CHAMPION...
TIME TO SEE HOW FAR THE KARATE YOUR BROTHER TAUGHT YOU...
HI!!
CAN GET YOU AGAINST ME!

*"TRIANGLE JUMP KICK"... A HIGH-LEVEL JUMP-KICK TECHNIQUE WHICH USES THE RECOIL FROM KICKING OFF A WALL OR POST TO KICK THE OPPONENT FROM BEHIND OR DIAGONALLY.

NUOOOO
OOOOO
UGH!!
KCH!!


HEH HEHE...
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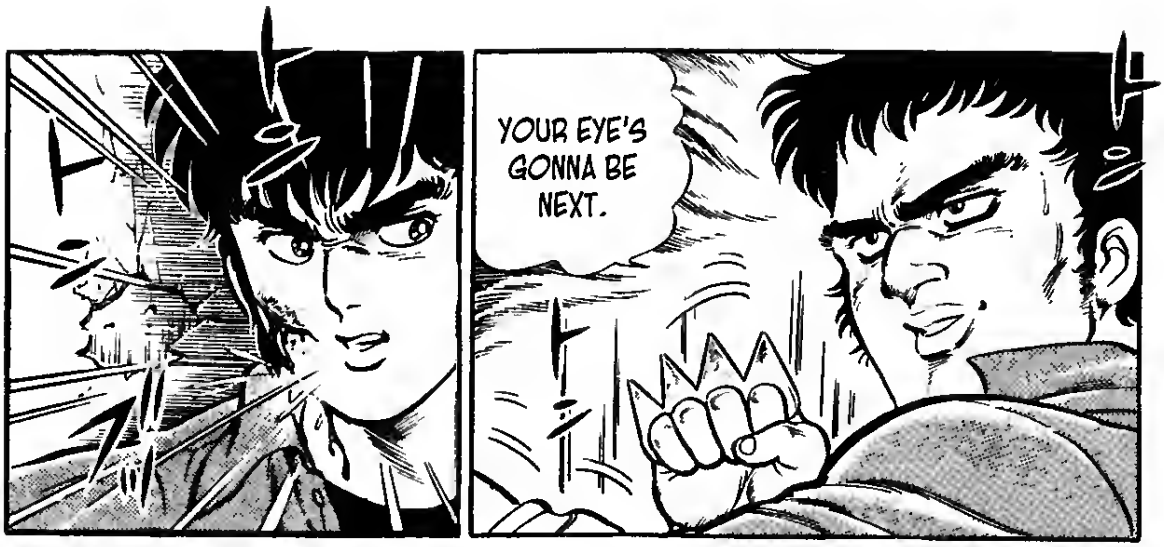
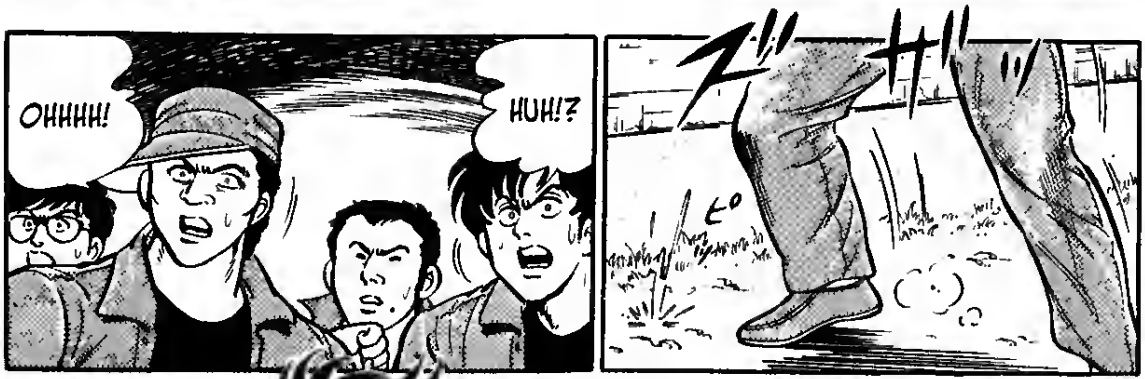
HEH HEHE...

MY RECORD WAS 4 FOR 4, ALL BY KO!
I WAS A KICKBOXER BACK ON THE OUTSIDE.
YOU CAN'T BEAT ME WITH YOUR PUNY LITTLE KARATE.





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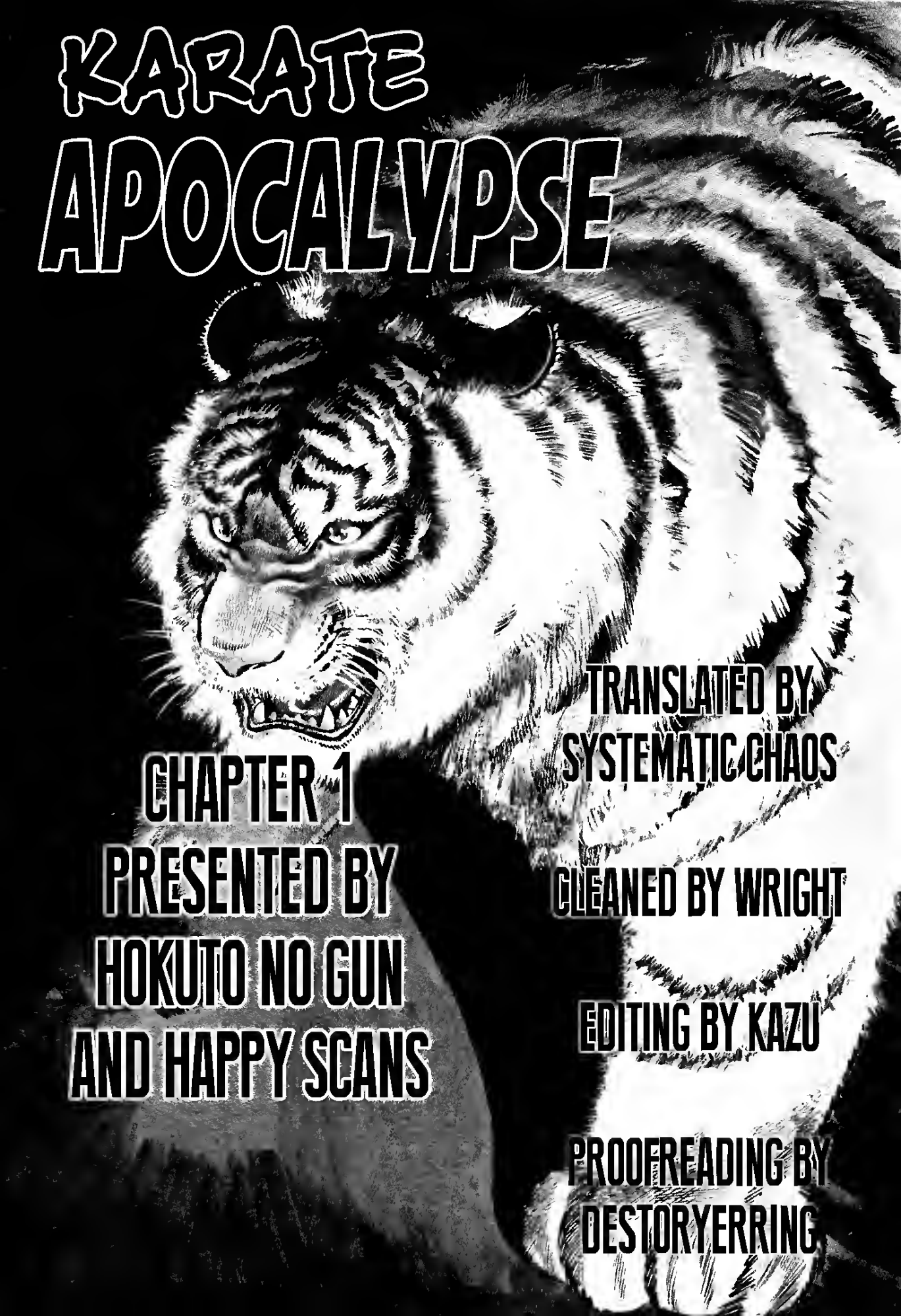
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